

I am very concerned by Sinclair Broadcasting's action to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election. This illustrates the dangers of allowing one company to own many media outlets.

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. But in this case, rather than presenting fair and balanced coverage of the news, they are promoting a clearly biased opinion as news.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard. Thank you.